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Chief of Mission, Frankfurt
For: MKTOPAZ Attn: []
Chief of Base, Vienna

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Operational

① SW Systems Issued to Grossbahn

1. We have recently received a packet of SW materials from SOB. It was indicated that these were all of the materials in the Grossbahn operation and that they were recalled by SOB due to a termination of SW activities in this operation. SOB further indicates that it is unable to locate any correspondence regarding this material, although they believe that it was issued on or about 22 August 1952. A check of our files shows that VOB was never informed of any SW training or issuance of materials with regard to this operation. We wish MKTOPAZ to make a file check to ascertain if they handled this training and issuance of supplies, and if so, please advise VOB as to the requested disposition of the returned material and close the file for the record. The material in question consists of the following items:

- a. one packet of developer pills for ATLAS when used on newsprint or pulp paper
- b. one bottle of "Lax-D" powder
- c. approximately ten unlabeled items of either ink or developer camouflaged as match sticks
- d. one box labeled "Lowe" containing fifteen capsules of either ink or developer
- e. one SW writing pen
- f. one mechanical pencil
- g. several brushes

We shall hold the material at this base awaiting your instructions for further disposition.

2. It would be greatly appreciated if the Technical Section of VOB could be informed on any SW activity within the Austrian Mission

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